

NEWS FROM THE CITY OF CARLSBAD POLICE DEPARTMENT

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Shots Fired at House in Carlsbad

Carlsbad, CA - On January 5, 2012 at 8:42 p.m., the City of Carlsbad Police Department received a call about what sounded like guns shots fired in the area of Palm Ave. and Jefferson St. in Carlsbad. After the sound of gunshots, witnesses reported seeing males running from the area.

Carlsbad Police Officers arrived at the location at 8:44 p.m. and spoke with witnesses. Witnesses directed officers to a house in the 3400 block of Jefferson. Numerous witnesses reported males running from the house after the sound of gun fire, many leaving the area in vehicles.

Upon investigation, officers found numerous gunshot holes in the house. Carlsbad Police Sergeant Beronda reported, "Gunshots penetrated the outer wall of the house and entered the living area. Though people were seated in the living area at the time, no one was injured."

It is likely the incident was gang related. At this time there is no suspect information. A witness described a tan or cream colored four door vehicle leaving the area. There are no further details. The investigation is ongoing. If anyone has information about this incident, please contact Detective Brian Hargett at 760-931-2110.

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